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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Administration)

FROM : General Counsel

SUBJECT : Use of Confidential Funds

1. Reference is made to recent conversations concerning extension of your authority to take final action in certain administrative matters involving the expenditure of confidential funds. Such extension would eliminate the present necessity for action by the Director in many cases which now require his personal approval.

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2. The desired result could be accomplished by insertion of the following provision somewhere in [redacted]

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[redacted]

"When authority is not otherwise specifically provided in these regulations, the Deputy Director for Administration may take final action on any matter involving the expenditure of confidential funds, if the expenditure involved in each matter does not exceed $2,500.00."

LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON

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